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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
 ACCESSING MEMORIES HAVING A  
 TIME-VARIANT RESPONSE OVER A  
 PCI BUS BY USING TWO-STAGE DMA  
 TRANSFERS

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This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2004, for which  
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 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees  
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Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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